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REWARDS EARNED BY HEROES OF CONNECTICUT

Report of Carnegie Hero Commission Recites Names of Brave Who Dared for Others' Lives.

Death Was Portion of Heroes Morris, Grant and Funk, But the Little Girl, Therese McNally, Lives to Enjoy Fund of \$2,000 Donated for Her Education.

Who has not yearned to be a hero? To plunge into the raging waters of a foaming river, how easy in perspective, and how difficult in fact. To descend into the choking gases of a mine; to plunge into the fiery recesses of a building in flames; these are tasks that delight the imagination but daunt the heart. They are also tasks to which in these modern times few are called and fewer chosen, as is shown by the last report of the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission, which has investigated, from its inception to Jan. 31, 1909, 3,219 acts of bravery of which but 246 have been found of such a character that the heroes were deemed worthy of the medal of the commission.

In the list of these awards it appears that Connecticut has its share of brave ones. George F. Russell was the first Connecticut hero recognized by the commission. July 29, 1904, Russell jumped from a launch, into Long Island Sound, and with two boys, 12 and 14 years, clinging to him, swam to their capsized boat. Russell was then aged 24. He was a ship fitter. The bronze medal was apportioned to him.

And the next Connecticut hero was not a hero at all, but a heroine to wit, Therese S. McNally, aged 13 years, who on June 16, 1904 saved Loretta Merwin, aged four, from drowning in Long Island Sound at Woodmont. The rescue was eighty feet from shore. The little girl swam 30 feet in eight feet of water to reach the child. McNally was awarded a bronze medal and \$2,000 for educational purposes. Also a holder of the bronze medal of the commission is Thomas B. Book with, aged 19, who saved Harold C. Ashborn, aged nine, from drowning in Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 1, 1906. Book with, a professional swimmer, rescued and supported Ashborn in the icy waters ten minutes until they were assisted onto firm ice.

Gustave Wohl, aged 32, holds a silver medal. Wohl is a gunsmith. Dec. 28, 1906, he saved Clement R. Donahue, aged eight, from drowning in Park river. Breaking the ice before him and swimming against the current, he reached Donahue, 60 feet from shore, and swam back with him.

That heroism does not arise entirely from the impulsive temperament of youth is shown by the case of John Morris, of Hartford, aged 60. He was a gate tender at a railroad crossing. Seeing that a woman was to be struck by a fast approaching train, Morris left his post of duty, ran in front of the train and pushed the woman from the track, but in so doing was struck and instantly killed. A silver medal was awarded and his widow received a pension of \$480 a year until she dies of old age.

It will be seen that the penalty of heroism is not infrequently death, if one scrutinizes the list of 246 wards. Carleton E. Funk, a professional swimmer, aged 30, died attempting to save Jennie E. Bechstedt, aged 18 from drowning in Glastonbury, July 7, 1907. Funk swam 20 feet from shore in the Connecticut river, to Miss Bechstedt, who had become distressed while bathing. After swimming a few strokes with her the doctor around the body, rendering him helpless, and both were drowned. A silver medal and \$25 a month was voted to his widow during her life or until she remarries, or five dollars a month additional for each of three children until each reaches the age of 16 years.

Not is heroism in Connecticut more the property of white people than it is of age or youth, or man or woman. George A. Grant, colored, aged 33, teamster, sustained fatal injuries rescuing Charles G. Campbell, 48, President American Painting and Decorating Company, and Charles A. Whipple, 46, superintendent of building construction, from a runaway in Groton, June 23, 1906. Grant grasped the bridle of one of the horses, and finding himself unable to control the other horse, because his bridle was off, he threw the one he had hold of and was kicked on the neck and run over by the vehicle. He died the same day after. His wife received the silver medal and \$25 a month for life, or until she remarries, and \$5 a month for each of her four minor children until each is sixteen.

Sometimes heroes arrive in groups. Such was the case when John W. Smith, 23, master of the schooner "Sis," with a volunteer crew of seven men, rescued eight passengers from the steamer Larchmont, off Block Island, Feb. 21, 1907. With the thermometer registering two degrees, the wind blowing 35 miles an hour, and the waves running 30 feet high, the Elsie, a sixty foot boat, was taken from the sea to a raft on which were 15 bodies. Seven of the castaways were found to have frozen to death. The lives were transferred to the schooner by the crew in 15 foot dories. Smith and his crew of seven received each a gold medal, and were awarded sums ranging from \$1,000 to \$4,000. These were not Connecticut heroes, but Rhode Island heroes. The reward that they received, ranks, in a pecuniary sense, with the largest the commission has made.

E. H. Dillon & Co., 1105 Main street, are showing an exceptionally large stock of hats, trimmed and untrimmed, in leghorn hats, chip hats, lace brail hats, net hats, etc., at prices one-third less than elsewhere.

The Warner Bros. Co. Juniors defeated the National A. C. Saturday afternoon, 10 to 4, at Seaside Park. They will play the Victors, Saturday afternoon at 2:30, at the East End freight yards.

THE PRETTIEST FACE. and the most beautiful hands are often disfigured by an unsightly wart. It can easily be removed in a few days without pain by using Cyrus' Wart Remover, for sale only at The Cyrus Pharmacy, 253 Fairfield Avenue and 136 Cannon St.

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Sun sets today 6:59 p. m.
High water 3:32 p. m.
Low water 9:38 p. m.
Moon rises 12:18 a. m.

SECOND WEEK OF Anniversary Celebration IN PROGRESS

Monday was a good beginning for the bigger week's business in the store's history. We simply made up our minds to sell more goods and to take in more money, and to give you more for your money this week than we have done before. In the three years' history of this store, the third birthday of which we are celebrating, we have had some splendid sales on different merchandise, but on the occasion of our anniversary every department must furnish the best that it has to make our anniversary a success. We have been preparing for this sale for months and the co-operation of a great many manufacturers in enabling us to fittingly celebrate the Third Anniversary of this fast growing store. And now we are ready, all dressed up in our holiday attire, building decorated in and out, busy inside—awfully busy—waiting on good natured, happy folks, wrapping up the best and most dependable kind of seasonable merchandise at prices to put every purchaser in good humor. Come and help to make this celebration the biggest we ever had. We are doing our share by offering such splendid bargains as the following:

Basement

Yard wide Unbleached Muslin, 6c kind, at 4c yd.
Cotton Twill 18 inch Toweling, 5c kind at 3 1/2c yd.
Dotted and Crossbar Swisses, 12 1/2c kind, 8 1/2c yd.
40 inch Victoria Lawn, sheer quality, sold at 10c, 7 1/4c yd.
Table Oil Cloth, white, marble and figures, 20c kind, 14c.
Sheets, Stedfast, 22x90, bleached, welded sheets, 50c kind, price, 39c.

First Floor

Lace trimmed Ladies' Pants, 25c kind, 14c.
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Pilling Mills, Vests, silk tape, 25c kind, 17c.
50c Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed 36c.
Men's Colored Socks, solid colors, of fine lisle thread, 15c kind, 11c.
Men's Balbriggan and Ribbed Underwear in natural and blue, 50c kind 38c.
Muslin Petticoats, lace and embroidered, 69c kind 42c.

Second Floor

\$15.00 Suits now \$8.98
\$25.00 Suits now \$16.98
\$50.00 Suits now \$26.98
\$75.00 Suits now \$36.98
\$1.50 and \$1.75 Lingerie Waists, all new models 98c
\$2.50 Lawn and Lingerie Waists now \$1.49
Lingerie Waists, sold regular at \$1.00, 63c
Black Silk Taffeta Petticoats, \$3.98 kind, at \$2.69

Third Floor

Pictures, 59c, 69c and 79c kind, 39c each
\$1.00 to \$2.00 Pictures, usual price, special at 79c
Window Shades, including fixtures, for the sale only, 21c
30x30 Linen Shams regular \$1.00 value, 79c
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NEW HAVEN ROAD NOT TO ELECTRIFY AT PRESENT

Officially Stated That it Will be Some Time Before New Power is Extended Through Bridgeport.

New Haven, May 11.—The New Haven road has issued the following official statement, about electrifying the New York division from Stamford to this city: "In connection with the rumor relative to the extension of the New Haven road's electrification it was stated officially today that preliminary estimates had been prepared and submitted for the information of the board of directors; that the entire matter was now being considered by the board, and that it was unlikely that any definite action would be taken or authority granted before the extension of the electrification to New Haven is a work of very considerable magnitude, and even after the extension is authorized by the directors, the preparation of detailed plans and specifications will consume considerable time before the actual work of construction is commenced."

Two Companions Also Drowned

Ithaca, N. Y., May 11.—On the very same date and at the same hour on which a year ago Thomas D. Bergen, a young instructor at Cascadilla School, lost his life by drowning, after his canoe had turned turtle, two of his former companions, Hiram Averill, an instructor, and George White, a student in the school, yesterday afternoon met a similar fate in the middle of Cayuga Lake between Myers and Taughannock Falls.

Hibernians Split With Irish Section

Dublin, May 11.—Matthew Cummings President of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of America, and the Rev. Father P. H. O'Donnell, State Chaplain of Massachusetts, who have been here for the past month as delegates for the order, have issued an address to the Hibernians of this country stigmatizing the Board of Erin section as "a purely political organization, disregardful of Catholic authority." Accordingly they announce that the American order will refuse to have any connection with this section until it becomes non-political and obedient to Catholic authority.

To Dig Canal in Two Years

Washington, May 11.—According to advice from Col. George W. Goethals received at the Washington office of the Isthmian Canal Commission, the Panama Canal, at the present rate of progress, will be completed, so far as the excavation is concerned, in less than two more years and three months, or by Aug. 1, 1911.

FITZROY'S CANARY A TEN FOOT SNAKE

Stagg's Presence Makes Excitement on Brooks Street.

"Say, if Pa comes in here tell him he'd better stay away from home today, for there's something coming to him," said a boy, as he stuck his head into Jim McGuinness' cafe, this morning. The boy was the son of "Bob" Fitzroy, the genial agent of the Hartmann Brewing Company and thereby hangs a tale. Yesterday Bob received a postal card from Sheriff Charles of Stratford, informing him that a fine canary would be sent to him to-day as a mark of the respect and confidence of the people of Stratford. Bob left home early to attend to his duties. At 8 o'clock the driver of the Stratford express deposited a wire covered box on the rear porch of Bob's residence, 255 Brooks street. The box contained the "canary," which proved to be a black snake at least ten feet long. The female portion of Bob's household was terrified and made frantic efforts to induce the expressman to take away the box. The expressman had been paid and the expressman had no right to take it away.

The boys of the neighborhood were delighted and they amused themselves by poking sticks into the cage and teasing the snake till he bit at the sticks savagely. This created more terror in the household. Supplies were requisited through the front door. The express company refuses positively to take the box away.

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FAIRFIELD TOWN MEETING WOULD NOT APPROPRIATE

Information That Judge Perry Wanted and Couldn't Get Caused Defeat of Judge Banks' Motion.

The special town meeting in Fairfield last night, was attended by some 75 citizens. Attorney Clitus King presided. The first proposition considered was the proposition to appropriate of \$1,500 for repairing and oiling macadamized roads in town. Judge Perry asked how the original appropriation of \$1,500 for keeping the roads in repair, had been spent, and whether all the money had been exhausted. As no one appeared able to give a bill of particulars, and as it seemed probable that so early in the spring another appropriation should be asked for, the motion to appropriate the additional sum of \$1,500 made by Judge Banks, was voted down, and the proposition was laid on the table.

COMMITTEE TO PROTECT CITY SCHOOL

Board of Education Takes up Discussion of Bill Requiring State Certificates for Teachers.

Bids Asked on Proposed New School House—Supt. Deane Re-Elected—Increase in School Attendance.

In the opinion of Secretary Edward F. Hallen and Superintendent of Schools Charles W. Deane at the meeting of the Board of Education last evening, the Bridgeport Normal school gives a more thorough training to school teachers than the State Normal schools. They believe that graduates should be exempt from having to take a state examination to get a certificate to teach. At present there is a bill pending in the State Legislature requiring all teachers graduating after 1910 to show a State certificate, except those who are graduates of Yale and Trinity Colleges and the State Normal schools. The bill has passed the Senate and is now before the House.

After a thorough discussion of the matter the board appointed Attorney John J. Cullinan to act with the committee on schools to go to Hartford to have the bill amended so that Bridgeport will be represented. Attorney Hallen explained to the board that it would be a hardship on Bridgeport graduates who, after four years of faithful work in the High school, and then two years in training should have to take a further examination, when the training that they have received is in advance of the training received in the State Normal schools.

He explained that only a few years ago the standard of efficiency of the local school was way ahead of the State school, as in the State school graduates from the eighth grade in the grammar schools were accepted, and after a three years course made teachers, while here a six years course was necessary after the grammar school course.

Mr. Thomas H. Macdonald thought the bill was a step in the right direction as it would bring the supervision

of schools under one head, but believed that that supervision should be placed in the hands of educators, and not of political reasons. He thought that there should be a uniformity of education throughout the State, so that children moving from one town to the other would not be handicapped in their work as they are at the present time, the system in each city being so different. Supt. Deane explained that he had talked out the matter at a recent meeting of educators and all agreed that the local school should be recognized.

Supt. Deane was again elected to the position of superintendent for another term of three years at an annual salary of \$3,000, by the unanimous vote of the members present, John F. Brady being absent. Mr. Deane has been superintendent of the local schools since August, 1883. Dr. Deane thanked the board for its renewed confidence in him and stated that he would have no other thought than the best interest of the local schools.

A communication was received from Major Thomas Boudren, who offers a prize of \$20 to the High school pupil composing the best essay upon "The Unjustifiableness of Compulsory Vaccination," said essay to contain from 1,500 to 2,000 words and to be the logical reasoning of the pupil after a careful study of the question, consulting such authorities as he may desire. The Major will give a list of authorities on the question to any pupil. He further desires that Messrs. Edward F. Hallen, John J. Cullinan and Lynn W. Wilson be named as the judges in the selection of the prize winner. The communication was referred to the committee on schools.

Plans for an eight room addition to the Summerfield school building, Black Rock, asking for permission to use one of the portable school buildings in Brewster street, on Sundays, for Sunday school. The matter was referred to the committee on school houses to act in conjunction with Superintendent Deane.

Bills for the salaries of teachers for April amounting to \$30,454.45 were ordered paid. The report of the superintendent showed that the attendance for the month ending May 7, was 12,778, an increase of 645 over the corresponding period of last year; and the average daily attendance 1,586, an increase of 339 over the same period of last year. The report also informed the board that the Jane and Grand street schools were running on half time.

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